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CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

☒ **WAIVER REQUEST**
☐ **RECONSIDERATION REQUEST**

DATE: 10/21/2020

DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Thomas L. "Tommy" Lyons
Office: State Senator, 2nd Dist
Parish:
Election Date: 4/29/2017
Level of Office: District

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: SUPP2019
Original Due Date: 2/18/2020
Date Filed: 3/2/2020
Activity Receipts: \$-0
Expenditures: \$-0
Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$-0

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$600
Days Late: 13
Late Fee Order Received: 8/13/2020
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 9/3/2020
Waiver Request Received: 8/25/2020
Additional Information Requested:
- Medical
- Financial
- Other

COMMENTS: Thomas L. Lyons request a waiver and states the following: He was in the Breaux Bridge area at the time and failed to notice the correspondence from your office when he returned home; by the time he was able to respond to the certified letter, the deadline had passed. He was in contact with your office at that time, and in no way did he willfully ignore or disregard the process. He has no active campaign, no campaign manager, is doing no fundraising, and plan to terminate any activity requiring annual reporting once this matter is settled as he doubts that he will again run for public office.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: No
Other Outstanding Late Fees: No
Prior Late Fees: Yes
Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No
Prior Late Fees: No

August 18, 2020

Louisiana Board of Ethics

P.O. Box 4368

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Re: Waiver request from Thomas L. "Tommy" Lyons

I am formally requesting a substantial reduction or waiver of the \$600 assessment levied against me.

I cannot dispute that the 2019 Supplemental Campaign Finance Disclosure Report was filed 13 days late, I can only list the facts that I work out of town in sales for American Cemetery Consultants, LLC, and that I was in the Breaux Bridge area at the time and failed to notice the correspondence from your office when I returned home; by the time I was able to respond to the certified letter, the deadline had passed. I was in contact with your office at that time, and in no way did I willfully ignore or disregard the process.

I have no active campaign, no campaign manager, am doing no fundraising, and plan to terminate any activity requiring annual reporting once this matter is settled as I doubt that I will again run for public office.

I respectfully offer \$100 as a compromise to settle this, as I cannot dispute that the report was 13 days late, however any more levied will constitute a hardship.

I can be contacted at 504.729.0682

Sincerely,



Thomas L. "Tommy" Lyons

1011 President St.

Thibodaux, LA 70301

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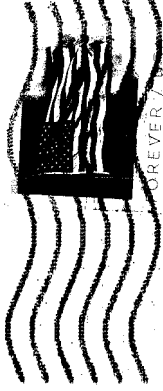
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